

<b>TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371</b>		ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER <b>A-06,33</b> U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, insert CFR 1.5) <b>10/585769</b>
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. <b>PCT/GB2005/000072</b>	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE <b>January 11, 2005</b>	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED <b>January 14, 2004</b>
TITLE OF INVENTION <b>Board Game</b>		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US <b>Michael Nottley</b>		
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>FIRST</b> submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. 2. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. 3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. 4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The US has been elected (Article 31). 5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> has been communicated by the International Bureau. c. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). 6. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). a. <input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto. b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 7. <input type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) a. <input type="checkbox"/> are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. <input type="checkbox"/> have been communicated by the International Bureau. c. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made. 8. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). 9. <input type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). 10. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).		
<b>Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:</b>		
11. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98, <b>Form PTO/SB/08A &amp; 1 reference</b> 12. <input type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. 13. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A preliminary amendment. 14. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76. 15. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification. 16. <input type="checkbox"/> A power of attorney and/or change of address letter. 17. <input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821- 1.825. 18. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 19. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).		

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U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known, see 37 CFR 1.51) <b>107385769</b>		INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. <b>PCT/GB2005/000072</b>		ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER <b>A-06.33</b>	
20. Other items or information: <p style="text-align: center;"><b>PCT/IB/308; PCT/IB/304; PCT/RO/101; PCT/ISA/210</b></p>					
The following fees have been submitted				<b>CALCULATIONS</b>	<b>PTO USE ONLY</b>
21. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Basic national fee (37 CFR 1.492(a))..... \$300				\$ 300	
22. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Examination fee (37 CFR 1.492(c))					
If the written opinion prepared by ISA/US or the international preliminary examination report prepared by IPEA/US indicates all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4)..... \$0 All other situations..... \$200				\$ 200	
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If the written opinion of the ISA/US or the International preliminary examination report prepared by IPEA/US indicates all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4)..... \$0 Search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) has been paid on the international application to the USPTO as an International Searching Authority..... \$100 International Search Report prepared by an ISA other than the US and provided to the Office or previously communicated to the US by the IB..... \$400 All other situations..... \$500				\$ 400	
<b>TOTAL OF 21, 22 and 23 =</b>				<b>900</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing in compliance with 37 CFR 1.821(c) or (e) or computer program listing in an electronic medium) (37 CFR 1.492(j)). The fee is \$250 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof.					
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- 100 =	/50 =		x \$250	\$ 0	
Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing any of the search fee, examination fee, or the oath or declaration after the date of commencement of the national stage (37 CFR 1.492(h)).				\$	
<b>CLAIMS</b>	<b>NUMBER FILED</b>	<b>NUMBER EXTRA</b>	<b>RATE</b>	<b>\$</b>	
Total claims	<b>34 - 20 =</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>x \$ 50</b>	<b>\$ 700</b>	
Independent claims	<b>2 - 3 =</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>x \$ 200</b>	<b>\$ 0</b>	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)			<b>+ \$360</b>	<b>\$ 0</b>	
<b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =</b>				<b>\$ 1,600</b>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Fees above are reduced by 1/2.				<b>800</b>	
<b>SUBTOTAL =</b>				<b>\$ 800</b>	
Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(i)).				\$ 0	
<b>TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =</b>				<b>\$ 800</b>	
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property				\$	
<b>TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =</b>				<b>\$ 800</b>	
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**NOTE:** Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the International Application to pending status.

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Honorable Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing, under our docket no. A-06.33, is the patent application of Michael Nottley, for BOARD GAME.

Enclosed herewith are the following:

- a) Form PTO-1390, with authorization to charge the total amount of eight-hundred dollars (\$ 800) to my credit card, as per the Credit Card Payment Form (PTO-2038) included herein. The fee includes small entity fees for Basic National Fee (\$150); Examination Fee (\$100), Search Fee (\$200), and Extra Claims Fee (\$350). Please charge any additional fees due you to Deposit Account No. 502221. The filing fee takes into consideration the status of the claims as presented in the Preliminary Amendment;
- b) Form PCT/IB/308 (mailed May 18, 2006) entitled SECOND AND SUPPLEMENTARY NOTICE INFORMING THE APPLICANT OF THE COMMUNICATION OF THE INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION (TO DESIGNATED OFFICES WHICH APPLY THE 30 MONTH TIME LIMIT UNDER ARTICLE 22(1)), indicating that the original PCT application was transmitted by the International Office to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office - 1 page;
- c) PCT application of thirty-four (34) pages;
- d) Two (2) front pages of published PCT application;
- e) One (1) sheet of formal drawing (Fig. 1);
- f) Application Data Sheet;
- g) Form PCT/RO/101 - Request Form;

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- h) Form PCT/ISA/210 - International Search Report performed by European Patent Office;
- i) Form PCT/IB/304 - Notification Concerning Submission or Transmittal of Priority Document;
- j) Information Disclosure Statement, one Form PTO/SB/08A and one reference; and
- k) Preliminary Amendment.

**APPLICANT QUALIFIES FOR SMALL ENTITY STATUS.**

It is respectfully requested that the above-identified application be granted a filing date within the July 14, 2006 convention term (30 months), based on PCT Application No. PCT/GB2005/000072, filed January 11, 2005, and on Great Britain Application No. 0400778.7, filed January 14, 2004, and on Great Britain Application No. 0409359.7, filed April 27, 2004.

A declaration or oath by the inventor is not enclosed. The application is made by the undersigned, who is a person authorized under 37 CFR 1.41 (c) on behalf of the above-named inventor. The declaration or oath will be filed subsequently.

In addition to the above papers, there is also attached a Certificate of Mailing by Express Mail, No. EQ 681252309 US under 37 CFR 1.10. Please accord the application the filing date of July 12, 2006.

Please correspond with the undersigned at the address and telephone herein.

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